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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 11/20/02, please amend the abovereferenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claim 18 as follows:

18. A system comprising:

a transceiver constructed to transmit an interrogating beam;